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1. A Polish infantry unit is stationed in the barracks on ul. Kosciuszki at the corner of ul. Zygmunta Starego. The soldiers of this unit wear red cap bands.
2. Until the end of 1952, this unit was stationed in a four-story barracks building, about 80 meters long. In spring of 1953, the five-story building, about 80 meters long, on the corner of the above street, was taken over by this unit and occupied by recruits called up in spring of 1953.
3. During a parade in the courtyard of the barracks, one colonel, three majors and a number of junior officers. The strength of the unit is estimated at about two battalions. This unit did not appear to have a large number of vehicles.

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